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In re application of: Aharon Meir EYAL, et al
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LACTATE SALT SOLUTIONS, INVOLVING THE USE OF ION EXCHANGERS

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In response to the Official Action of 9 April 2002, please amend the
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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claims.

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